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Sir:

Transmittal Letter for Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Examiner an International Search Report, dated February 25, 2004 for the PCT application that is a counterpart of the subject application. The attached Information Disclosure Statement is filed in compliance with 37 CFR §1.56, and the documents cited therein may be material to the patentability of the subject patent application.

- [X] Attached with this Transmittal Letter are:
 - (a) A copy of the PCT International Search Report
 - (b) Form 1449, "List of References Cited," with copy of references B4, B5 and C2
 - (c) Return postcard
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The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider these documents and to make them of record in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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